

AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER
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Invention: Method and System for Managing Casino Credit

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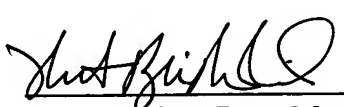
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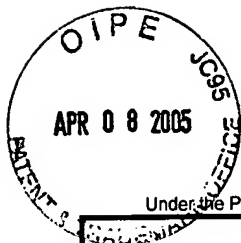
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